

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions,  
and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1-9 (canceled)

10. (currently amended) A glow plug (1) comprising:  
a pressure sensor (90) adapted to measure the internal  
pressure of the cylinder of an engine in which the glow plug (1)  
is accommodated a body (10) adapted to be fixed to the engine,  
and a finger (20) in which a pre-heating electrode is  
accommodated,

wherein the pressure sensor (90) is connected to the  
body (10) by the pressure sensor's upper surface and bears  
against the finger (20) via of a spacer (80), such that the  
pressure exerted on the finger (20) compresses the sensor against  
the body (10), and ~~A glow plug (1) according to claim 9,~~  
~~characterized in that~~

the spacer (80) is formed from a material of which the  
spacer's ~~its~~ own vibration mode is beyond the bandwidth of the  
sensor (90).

11. (currently amended) The ~~A glow plug (1) according~~  
~~to claim 10, characterized in that~~ wherein the spacer (80) is  
of ceramic.

12. (canceled)

13. (previously presented) The A—glow plug (1) according to claim—~~12~~ 10, further comprising:~~characterized in that~~

a nut (50) is screwed to the body (10) and compresses the sensor (90) so as to connect the sensor to the body (10), wherein the screw thread of the nut (50) is formed on the nut's ~~its~~ outer periphery and cooperates with a screw thread formed on the inner surface of the side walls (110) of a cavity (100) in which the sensor (90) is accommodated.

14. (canceled)

15. (currently amended) An internal combustion engine comprising:

at least one cylinder; and

one glow plug (1) ~~according to claim 9~~, comprising:

a pressure sensor (90) adapted to measure the internal pressure of the cylinder of an engine in which the glow plug (1) is accommodated a body (10) adapted to be fixed to the engine, and a finger (20) in which a pre-heating electrode is accommodated,

wherein the pressure sensor (90) is connected to the body (10) by the pressure sensor's upper surface and bears against the finger (20) via of a spacer (80), such that the pressure exerted on the finger (20) compresses the sensor against the body (10), and

the spacer (80) is formed from a material of which the spacer's its own vibration mode is beyond the bandwidth of the sensor (90),

wherein ~~in which~~ the pressure sensor (90) is adapted to measure the internal pressure of the cylinder in which the glow plug (1) is accommodated, and in which the body (10) is fixed to the engine.

16. (currently amended) The A-glow plug (1) according to claim 10, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein a nut (50) is screwed to the body (10) and compresses the sensor (90) so as to connect ~~it~~ the sensor to the body (10).

17. (currently amended) The A-glow plug (1) according to claim 11, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein a nut (50) is screwed to the body (10) and compresses the sensor (90) so as to connect ~~it~~ the sensor to the body (10).

18. (canceled)

19. (currently amended) The ~~A~~-glow plug (1) according to claim 17, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the screw thread of the nut (50) is formed on the nut's ~~its~~ outer periphery and cooperates with a screw thread formed on the inner surface of the side walls (110) of a cavity (100) in which the sensor (90) is accommodated.